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MONSTER SWORDFISH TRIP.

Sch. George H. Lubee Had 188 Fish at T Wharf Yesterday.

Sch. George H. Lubee, Capt. Lubee, arrived at T wharf yesterday from Georges with the largest swordfish trip of the season, 188 fish in number, selling at 6 cents per pound. This is also one of the largest swordfish trips ever landed, the record being held by Capt. Joseph Mosquita of the sch. Mary P. Mosquita of this port, which came in from one trip last season with 202 fish in number.

SIGHTED MANY ICEBERGS.

Sch. Squanto Got Her Trip Right In Among Them.

The sch. Squanto, which arrived at Boston yesterday, caught her halibut fare in latitude 51 30, longitude 50.10. Capt. McDonald reported that icebergs were plenty and many of the sets for fish were made right in among them. As many as 25 or 30 bergs were seen.

Big Horse Mackerel.

A horse mackerel weighing 600 pounds was brought to Boston yesterday from the seine of Capt. Powell of Nabant.

Bluebacks in Milk Island Trap.

Lane's trap at Milk Island had 25 barrels of bluebacks this morning.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Maggie and May, salt banking, 250,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Squanto, via Boston.

Sch. Frances P. Mesquita, Bay of Fundy, 150,000 lbs. fresh hake.

Sch. A. E. Whyland, salt banking, 250,000 lbs. cod.

Sch. Addie M. Story, Provincetown.

Today's Fish Market.

Board of Trade prices for salt and fresh fish:

Salt fish, handline Georges cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for medium; trawl Georges cod, \$4.25 for large, \$3.50 for medium; trawl Bank cod, \$3.62 1-2 for large, \$3.37 1-2 for medium; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.25; haddock, \$1.75; large cusk, \$2.50.

Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.12 1-2; medium cod, \$1.62 1-2; all cod caught to the eastward of LaHave bank, \$1.87 1-2; medium \$1.50 cusk, \$1.62 1-2; haddock, \$1.00; hake, \$1.00; pollock, 75c; snapper codfish, 60 cts.; snapper cusk, 60 cts.

Rips cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for mediums and \$2.25 for snappers.

Fresh halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 7 cts. per lb. for gray.

Georges halibut, 12 1-2 cts. for white and 8 1-2 cts. for gray.

Fresh mackerel, 20 cents each.

Salt southern caught mackerel, \$15 per bbl.

Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$10.62 1-2 per bbl.

Outside sales fresh hake, \$1.05.

Outside sales fresh haddock, \$1.15.

Boston

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 700 haddock, 1200 cod, 33,000 pollock, 8000 hake.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 12,000 haddock, 13,000 cod.

Sch. Flora J. Sears, 30,000 haddock, 1500 cod.

Haddock \$2.50, large cod \$3 to \$3.50, market cod \$2 to \$2.25, pollock \$1.50, swordfish 6 cents.

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OFF NANTASKET.

Sea Serpent Has Arrived for Summer Sojourn.

Fisherman Will Take Oath That He Saw 70-Foot Monster.

Henry Edwin Hatch, an unassuming fisherman of Gun Rock, Nantasket, who bears an unquestioned reputation for integrity, says he is ready to make affidavit before any justice of the peace, that while in a boat with his wife about one mile off Simons farm beach on the morning of Monday, July 10, he saw a sea monster about 70 feet long with about 40 black humps or curves about the size of a man's body along its back, and a head, which it occasionally raised above the surface of the water, as large as a nail keg.

The monster, which resembled a serpent in its sinuous movements, with great rapidity passed within 100 feet of the boat, furiously lashing the sea and leaving a wide wake in its course.

When Hatch and his wife first noticed the thing, only four or five humps were visible as it sped in the direction of Black rock, which lies off the coast where Hull and Cohasset join.

Then it turned back, passing the boat at a greater distance seaward, where it finally disappeared.

But no matter how others may take Mr. Hatch's story, there is one man, Ambrose B. Mitchell, a lobster man of Hull village, who will doubtless place absolute credence in it, for several years ago he had almost an identical experience, and his description of the monster that now seems to have inhabited these waters for a long time, is practically the same.

MAKES ANOTHER RECORD.

Capt. Mesquita Lands Largest Single Dory Fresh Fare.

Has Made an Envious Record as Hand and Master.

The sch. Frances P. Mesquita, Capt. Joseph P. Mesquita, arrived this morning loaded to the scuppers with fresh fish. The craft has been down in the Bay of Fundy and has 150,000 pounds of fresh hake. The vessel is single dory fishing and in all the record of the fisheries, this is the largest single dory fresh trip ever brought in. Capt. Mesquita's record as a fisherman and skipper is of exceptional brilliancy.

As hand, in the Georges handline fishery, he was known, in his time, as one of the smartest men who fished over the rail, and as skipper his success, year after year, has been phenomenal. He always made a big years work and for a long time he has been one of the leaders of the whole fresh fishing fleet.

Beside this excellent record, he now holds the record for landing the biggest single dory fresh fish trip and his world's record for the largest swordfish trip, 202 fish, made last season, still stands. Capt. Mesquita is a credit to his calling and to the city of which he is an esteemed citizen.

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OVER \$4000 STOCK.

Sch. Corona's Crew Shares Over \$100 on Halibut Trip.

Sch. Corona, Capt. Augustus Peterson, stocked \$4075.81 on her recent fine halibut trip, weighing off 46,000 pounds of fish, beside 10,000 pounds of salt cod. The crew made the fine share of \$103.32. Capt. Peterson is one of the steady going skippers who has justly earned a fine reputation in the ranks of the halibut catchers and who can be counted on for a good year's work.

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SCH. CONSTELLATION AGAIN.

Capt. Thaddeus Morgan at Boston with Fine Trip.

Sch. Rob Roy Also There with 12,000 Fresh Mackerel.

Sch. Constellation, Capt. Thaddeus Morgan, shot into T dock, Boston, last evening with a daisy trip, 14,000 fresh mackerel in count. The fish were taken in four schools on the southeast part of Georges and Capt. Morgan reports seeing a few of the seining fleet, among them the Shenandoah with 90 barrels salt mackerel and the Rebecca with 30 barrels.

Capt. Morgan seems to have the Georges spurt pretty much to himself for on Friday last he was at Boston with 20,000 fresh in count and came down here and went out again Saturday afternoon. He reports that it has a dungeon of fog since he left here and it never scaled up until he reached Cape Cod yesterday afternoon.

This trip will net Capt. Morgan a fine stock, which added to the \$18,000 he has already stocked this season, will give him over \$20,000 and put him farther than ever high line of the fleet with a big margin.

Sch. Rob Roy, Capt. Gourley G. Anderson, is also at Boston today with a fine fare of fresh mackerel. The fish are all large and will net Capt. Anderson and crew a stock of \$2500.

Sch. Rebecca, Capt. Frank Perry, also arrived at Boston this morning with 30 barrels of salt mackerel, which sold at \$13 per barrel. The fish were taken on Georges. Capt. Perry reports speaking sch. Patrician, Capt. Wesley Farmer, and sch. Ralph L. Hall, Capt. Frank H. Hall on Georges, and each had about 30 barrels of salt mackerel.

One boat is reported at Block Island this morning with 500 fresh mackerel.

Schs. Hattie M. Graham and Edna Wallace Hopper are in port with small salt mackerel fares, the former having 18 barrels and the latter 55 barrels.

Fine Halibut Trip.

Sch. Agnes, Capt. James Goodwin, arrived from Green Bank this morning with a splendid fare of 50,000 pounds of fresh halibut. This is indeed a fine fare and shows that Capt. Goodwin is getting right back into his old habit of bringing in big halibut trips just as he did a few years ago.

Herring at Liverpool

A despatch from B. C. Mulhall, at Liverpool, N. S., to Cunningham & Thompson this morning states that all seines there are full of herring.